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A need exists for specific, quantitative data pertaining to the degradation of individual and unit combat efficiency caused by the wearing of chemical warfare (CW) protective gear, i.e., mask, hood, gloves, overgarment, and overboots. The US Army Materiel Systems Analysis Activity (USAMSA) has initiated a program designed to provide these data. This report describes the first portion of this program, the development of a viable data base which will enable meaningful and useful degradation data to be generated through the employment of computer simulations.		

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PREFACE

Computer simulations are used to evaluate doctrine, training procedures, equipment and occasionally to study current battlefield scenarios. In any future conflict there is the strong possibility that toxic chemical agents will be employed by opposing forces to achieve a tactical advantage. As a result, computer models are being modified or developed to study the effects that chemical warfare will have on military operations.

Among the duties and responsibilities of the Tactical Operations Analysis Division (TOAD) of the US Army Materiel Systems Analysis Activity (AMSAA) is the formulation, development, revision, or refinement of computer simulations, i.e., war games. One of the major areas of interest in a chemical warfare scenario, and which is addressed in very few of the current models, is the degradation of personnel efficiency resulting from the necessity to wear chemical warfare protective gear. To accurately and realistically evaluate the effects of degradation through modeling, a viable data base is a primary requirement to develop and/or validate a reliable model. AMSAA is attempting to develop this data base.

A draft interim note detailing the initial effort was distributed on a limited basis in mid-January 1981, along with a letter soliciting comments, criticism, guidance, data, etc. Responses received from this request have been incorporated, to the extent possible at this time, into the current report. Distribution of this report has been considerably wider than that of the draft interim note. As before, a request has been made for comments and suggestions, but the primary interest is in acquiring quantified data that is more recent, more reliable, and that more realistically reflect plausible combat conditions.

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THE EFFECT OF CHEMICAL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT ON COMBAT EFFICIENCY

1. INTRODUCTION

With the recent renewed interest in chemical warfare, there have been efforts to analyze the effects of this type warfare by means of models and/or computer simulations of battlefield scenarios. Part of these efforts have been addressed to the degradation of unit effectiveness as a result of having to wear and work in chemical protective gear.

The vulnerability of troops exposed to a toxic chemical agent environment can be reduced by donning protective clothing and equipment such as a mask, hood, gloves, overgarment, and boots. At the same time, however, wearing these items, particularly for extended periods of time and/or at high ambient temperatures ($>80^{\circ}\text{F}/27^{\circ}\text{C}$), frequently reduces the efficiency of individuals performing their assigned tasks. This individual degradation can and does eventually reduce the overall combat effectiveness of entire units.

A large portion of the degradation of individual and unit efficiency can be attributed to several inherent characteristics associated with the individual items that comprise the chemical warfare (CW) protective ensemble. Specifically, these include the following:

- Heat stress or heat build up due to the weight and bulkiness of the overgarment. The lack of "breathability" of the overgarment also contributes to the heat build up.
- Respiratory stress due to the air resistance of the protective mask filters and outlet valves.
- Reduced dexterity in the forearm portion of the overgarment and reduced manual dexterity due to wearing gloves. Some loss of dexterity can also be associated with the overboots.
- Restricted vision and hearing (communications) due to mask design.

In addition, morale and psychological stress, which are functions of being under attack, are contributing factors to the general physical discomfort caused by the protective clothing. Of these, only heat stress has been investigated in depth or quantified to any extent, primarily through the efforts of Dr. Goldman and his associates¹⁻³ (USARIEM (US Army Research Institute of Environmental Medicine)). Quantitative evaluations of other factors affecting degradation have been rather limited.

The amount of degradation in unit effectiveness from heat stress caused by wearing CW protective clothing is a function of several variables. Among these are (1) the type and combinations of environmental and protective ensemble worn, (2) the environmental conditions prevailing at any given time, (3) the duration during which a specific ensemble is worn, (4) the level of labor or activity sustained during the time a specific ensemble is worn, (5) the physical state of the personnel at the time the CW ensemble is donned, and (6) the degree to which the unit is trained in wearing protective clothing.

The Army employs the Mission-Oriented Protective Posture (MOPP) system to protect personnel against chemical agent attack. This is a flexible system intended to serve as a guide to commanders and is designed to facilitate mission accomplishment. It "requires the soldier to wear individual protective equipment consistent with the chemical threat, the workrate imposed by the mission, and the temperature".⁸ A tabulated summary of current MOPP levels is shown below.

TABLE 1 - DEFINITION OF MOPP LEVELS

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT

MOPP	OVERGARMENT	OVERBOOTS	MASK/HOOD	GLOVES
1	Worn, open or closed based on temperature	Carried	Carried	Carried
2	Worn, open or closed based on temperature	Worn	Carried	Carried
3	Worn, open or closed based on temperature	Worn	Worn, hood open or closed based on temperature	Carried
4	Worn, closed	Worn	Worn, hood closed	Worn
Baseline	Not worn	Not worn	Not worn	Not worn

This report will be limited to MOPP 4, full or maximum protection, and the baseline condition, which is no protective clothing at all (only the normal duty uniform consistent with a specific task and environmental conditions). Also, no attempt will be made to determine what portion of the total amount of degradation can be attributed to any specific item of the CW ensemble.

2. APPROACH/RATIONALE

Earlier attempts to model degradation reportedly have been inadequate, one of the major reasons being a lack of empirical data with which to validate the models. The US Army Materiel Systems Analysis Activity (AMSAA) has initiated a program designed to provide these data. The objective of the first portion of this program is to establish and develop a data base which can be utilized to provide realistic information regarding the tactical effectiveness of units in a chemical warfare environment by means of computer simulations.

The successful establishment of a viable data base would enable the accuracy and validity of previous modeling efforts to be determined. It might also serve as the basis for the development of an entirely new model. The demonstration of a reliable model with which to ascertain the realistic effects of degradation would reduce the need for a costly and time-consuming test program. Current doctrine, training, and equipment, as they relate to CW, need to be evaluated now, so that any modifications that are required could be initiated and implemented without undue delay (as is likely to result from an extensive test program). Subsequent tests and training exercises could be employed to refine and validate existing data.

A two-phased approach was employed in developing the data base. One phase involved the review of the literature to determine if results or data from any earlier tests or studies were applicable to this program. Examples of the specific types of information sought included the following:

- Tasks or functions normally performed by military personnel, as individuals or as units, in tactical situations;
- Times to perform specific tasks (see note below);
- The degree of protection, or MOPP level, employed by personnel while performing specific functions;
- Temperature conditions prevailing at the time the specific functions were performed;
- Any previous modeling efforts that might provide information that could be applied to this program.

NOTE: At this point in the program, time was selected as the primary parameter to be considered in determining any decrease in unit effectiveness because of the ease by which it can be measured, and because differences in time are readily comprehensible. In addition, time is a critical factor to be considered in the activities of any unit within the area of tactical operations. However, it is recognized that there are other parameters that can be employed to measure unit effectiveness. These include the probability of hit, rate of fire, target acquisition, effective ranges, etc. It is anticipated that these also will be studied later in this program.

Concurrent with the literature review, a survey (Phase 2) was conducted to obtain and catalog the major functions or tasks that various units within the different branches of the Army might be required to perform in tactical situations. The branches surveyed include combat, combat support, and combat service support types. Specifically, these were air defense, armor, artillery, aviation, chemical, engineer, infantry, medical, military police, ordnance, quartermaster, signal, and transportation.

Items of particular interest in this survey included the size and type of the unit (including personnel and vehicles), the specific major functions that these units frequently perform, and workload (heavy, moderate, light) or amount of energy required to accomplish these tasks. Examples of functions in which heavy workloads are required include the loading/unloading of ammunition by hand, a forced march, digging with hand tools, infantry in dismounted attack, etc. Moderate workloads are exemplified by tasks such as infantry in dismounted defense, activity normally associated with units in reserve positions, some reconnaissance missions, certain maintenance operations, etc. Light workloads usually imply activities such as administrative tasks or motorized movement. In addition, the times required to perform these functions without chemical protective equipment were obtained. The times assumed relatively ideal conditions, e.g., daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc.

The majority of information (function, workload, times w/o CW gear) was obtained through interviews with officer personnel of rank O3 to O6 assigned to the various APG activities (AMSA, TECOM, OC&S, MTD). The manner in which this was done was to (a) select officers from the different branches represented on the personnel rosters of the activities, (b) have discussions with as many from each branch as practical, then (c) prepare tables as shown in this report based upon these discussions. The information was essentially first hand in that these officers had commanded units that performed these specific tasks. The times were those they considered to be reasonable to accomplish the task (w/o protective gear), times they would accept as the commanding officer of the unit. The higher ranking officers displayed more experience in more diverse areas; the lower ranks had more recent, albeit limited, experience. In some instances, the officers interviewed had participated in the preparation of ARTEPs (Army Training and Evaluation Programs). Others had participated in training exercises in which CW protective gear had been worn. (Although they were not able to provide any quantitative data, they did provide some valuable opinions and estimates of the effects of CW protective gear.) Additional or supplementary information was obtained from the appropriate FMs (field manuals), TMs (training manuals), SQTs (skill qualification tests), and ARTEPs.

The tabulated data obtained in this manner to date are given in Tables 2-14 (first 5 columns). Briefly, this information includes the following:

- o The type and size of the unit of interest;
- o The major functions performed by the unit (along with a descriptive or qualifying phrase where applicable);

- o The level of workload required to perform the function;
- o The amount of time that could reasonably be expected to be taken to accomplish the function, without any protective clothing (wearing only the normal duty uniform in keeping with task requirements).

Times shown for performing tasks without protective clothing assume relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. It was also assumed, again where no CW protective gear is worn, that there would be no difference between the time required to perform a specific task at temperatures near 20°F than it would at moderate temperatures (~60°F). The fact that wearing cold weather clothing in itself (w/o CW gear) may influence the performance of personnel not considered at this point in the program. As data become more refined, however, this may need to be addressed.

3. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

After several documents were reviewed¹⁰⁻¹⁸, it became apparent that there was a paucity of quantified information concerning the degradation of unit effectiveness as a result of wearing CW protective equipment. Much of the data were of a subjective nature and therefore were considered to be of limited validity and applicability. Test conditions varied and were sometimes uncontrolled, thereby making comparisons difficult.

A detailed review of all the documents examined will not be presented here. However, it should be noted that two recent reports published subsequent to the initiation of the work described herein, provide excellent summaries of previous chemical performance testing. The first of these¹⁹ presents the results of a literature search made to examine the effects of the use of chemical protective clothing and equipment on mission performance. From the list of reports reviewed, several were selected for further analysis. A critical assessment of these tests was made and the findings reported in Reference 20.

Some of the major points of this assessment²⁰ include the following:

- There was no uniformity in the structure of the tests, the parameters they attempted to measure, or in the manner in which performance was measured. This was attributed to the fact that the tests were performed over a period of 20 years, were conducted by different organizations, and were conducted under different technological and military conditions.
- The greatest amount of data is available for infantry missions and tasks, and cover attack, defense, and retrograde operations for squad, platoon, and company size units. A disadvantage is that most of the data are presented in terms of staytime, the length of time an individual remains in protective gear until he becomes a

casualty or until the unit becomes ineffective because of heat stress.

- The duration of most of the tests was too short to be able to assess the effects of rotation of individuals or tasks to maximize unit effectiveness over time.
- There are almost no data for a tank company or battalion.
- Artillery data are limited. There was no live firing, and the scope of tests was limited.
- There was little or no data for any specialized type of combat, such as airborne operations, river crossing operations by engineer units, etc.
- No data were available for cold weather conditions, or for operations over rough terrain or in deserts.
- No extensive testing was done over a variety of MOPP conditions.
- No tests were reported in which females were included.

A review of the literature, specifically those reports in which previous efforts to model degradation were described^{1, 21-23}, also indicated that each model had some limiting factors that generally restricted, or qualified its use. The principal deficiency most frequently mentioned was the lack of sufficient empirical data with which to verify the model or to determine its accuracy. As an attempt to provide this type of data, Tables 2-14 were developed.

Since the desired data were not available from traditional sources (results of field tests, training exercises, recorded but unpublished test results, etc.), it was necessary to calculate the time required to perform various functions while wearing full CW protection (MOPP 4). Calculations were made for three different temperatures, as indicated, and the results entered in the appropriate column.

The bases upon which these calculations were made are provided in Tables 15 and 16. Table 15 gives work/rest values extracted from FM 21-40.⁸ These data are intended to serve only as a guide to commanders to enable them to carry out their assigned missions with a minimum or negligible number of heat casualties. It should be noted that the indicated rest periods are those needed to allow an adequate amount of cooling time for the dissipation of accumulated body heat. Also, the work/rest values are cyclic and may be repeated for as many times as necessary to complete a task. The use of the data in Table 15 is somewhat limited, however, in that there are no data given for temperatures below 21°C (70°F). For a detailed discussion of the MOPP system, its use and implementation, the reader is referred to FM 21-40, Chapter 5.

* Revised MOPP tables are reportedly being prepared, but are not available at this time.

TABLE 2 - Performance Degradation Data for Air Defense Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MORP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
HIMAD BN HQ (1) (Ops Com Cen)	Displacement, 12-15 trucks	Preparation for move (2)	Heavy	45 min	90 min	@50°F (10°C)
	Emplacement at maximum cable length	Checkout and alignment	Heavy	30 min (3)	60 min	@70°F (-7°C)
Direct Support Platoon (4)	Displacement, 15-20 van/trucks, missile components only	Preparation for move	Heavy	60 min	120 min	@85°F (29°C)
All others (5)	Emplacement	Check out missile test equipment	Moderate	30 min (3)	30 min	180 min
	Displacement	Deliberate	Heavy	30 min	60 min	360 min
SHORAD (6) Bn HQ	Displacement (7)	Moderate	30 min	30 min	90 min	90 min
HIMAD Battery (8)	Emplacement	Heavy	30 min	60 min	180 min	180 min
	Displacement	Heavy	30 min	60 min	180 min	180 min
	Emplacement	Heavy	45 min	90 min	180 min	180 min
	Displacement	Heavy	60 min	120 min	180 min	180 min
	Emplacement	Heavy	60 min (3)	120 min	180 min	180 min
	Displacement	Heavy	60 min	120 min	180 min	180 min
	Emplacement	Heavy	60 min	120 min	180 min	180 min
	Emplacement	Heavy	60 min	120 min	180 min	180 min
	Emplacement, only 1 platoon	Heavy	30 min	60 min	90 min	90 min
	Emplacement, only 1 platoon	Heavy	45 min (3)	90 min	120 min	120 min
SHORAD Battery (9)	Displacement	Heavy	15 min	30 min	45 min	90 min
	Support element	Heavy	30 min	60 min	90 min	140 min

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively initial conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 2 - (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Air Defense Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS			
				WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)			
				@20°F (-7°C)	@50°F (10°C)	@85°F (29°C)	
SHORAD Battery (9)	Emplacement	Platoon	Heavy	20 min	40 min	60 min	120 min
MANPAD (11)	Displacement	Support element By team (12)	Heavy	30 min	60 min	90 min	180 min
	Emplacement	By team	Moderate	15 min	15 min	15 min	45 min
FAAR (13)	Displacement		Moderate	15 min	15 min	15 min	45 min
	Emplacement		Heavy	15 min	30 min	45 min	90 min
				15 min (14)	30 min	45 min	90 min

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

- (1) HAWK Bn. Includes computer/control (C/c) system w/generators, radars w/generators, and commo vans w/generators.
- (2) Moves for strategic purposes average 30 km; moves for survivability average 1-2 km.
- (3) Assumes that all equipment is operating. Problems requiring trouble shooting and/or repair would require additional time of 30 min to 2 hours.
- (4) Unit contains maintenance and repair parts; is attached to HIMAD En HQ.
- (5) Includes motor pool, supply room, mess facility, medical support, property book section, etc.
- (6) SHORAD Bns have either Chaparral or Vulcan systems.
- (7) Does not have C/c system, or a direct support platoon.
- (8) Includes 3 Fire Platoons w/all missile equipment and all support (motor pool, supply room, HQ, mess facility, tents, etc.).
- (9) SHORAD batteries deployed by platoons.
- (10) Platoon has 4 vehicles, either guns or SP missile launchers, self-contained.
- (11) Man Portable Air Defense (MANPAD). Employs REDEYE system, being replaced by STINGER system.
- (12) Team consists of 2 men with jeep and trailer.
- (13) Forward Area Alerting Radar (FAAR). Deployed individually, on a vehicle.
- (14) Assumes equipment is working. If not working, assistance must be requested. It could take up to an hour, or more, to obtain help.

NOTES: (a) HIMAD systems include the NIKE HERCULES. Multiply times by 2 or 3 for NIKE HERCULES system.

- (b) All times given for HIMAD systems are for the HAWK system.
- (c) SHORAD times apply to both CHAPARRAL and VULCAN systems.

TABLE 3 - Performance Degradation Data for Armor Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (10°C; 025°F (20°C))
Battalion, HQ (Located ~ 8 km back of FEBA)	Displacement of Bn HQ	Hasty (ready to move) ^{1/}	Heavy	15 min	30 min	45 min
	Deliberate (ready to move)	Heavy	30 min	60 min	90 min	180 min
	Emplacement of BN CP	Hasty, for radio communication only	Heavy	15 min	30 min	45 min
	Deliberate, completely operational	Heavy	2 hrs	4 hrs	6 hrs	12 hrs
	Lay Wire (wire section, minimum amount of wire required)	Heavy	1 hr	2 hrs	3 hrs	6 hrs
	Antenna emplacement, 3-4 men (H5,7A1 crew)	RC-292 antenna	Heavy	20 min	40 min	60 min
	Maintenance	Get ready to move	Heavy	2 hrs	4 hrs	6 hrs
	Battalion Trains, located ~ 20 km back of FEBA	Get operational once reach new site	Heavy	2 hrs	4 hrs	6 hrs
		To be fully operational at new site	Heavy	4 hrs	8 hrs	12 hrs
	Battalion Aid Station (BAS)	To get ready to move	Heavy	1 hr	2 hrs	3 hrs
Company, 3 Platoons, 15 Tanks	To set up in new position	Heavy	1 hr	2 hrs	3 hrs	6 hrs
	Organizational, per move	Moderate	1 hr	1 hr	1 hr	3 hrs
	Organizational, per road march	Moderate	1 hr	1 hr	1 hr	3 hrs

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 3 - (continued) - Performance Degradation: Data for Armor Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)
COMPANY, 3 Platoons, 15 Tanks	Position Selection	By commander, per move	Moderate	1 hr	1 hr	1 hr
	Command post move	Per move	Moderate	15 min	15 min	15 min
	Platoon, 5 Tanks	Hasty (ready to move)	Moderate	< 1 min	< 1 min	< 1 min
		Across desert @ ~ 20km/hr	Light	15 min	15 min	15 min
		Across rough terrain (rocks, gullies) @ ~ 10-15 km/hr	Light	20 min	20 min	20 min
		Across terrain where no trail exists @ ~ 2-3 km/hr	Light	2 hrs	2 hrs	2 hrs
		Advancing with infantry @ 2-3 km/hr	Light	2 hrs	2 hrs	2 hrs
		Replace tank engine (4 men, pull and reinstall)	Heavy	4 hrs	12 hrs	12 hrs
		For XM1	4 hrs	8 hrs	12 hrs	12 hrs
		For M60	4 hrs	8 hrs	12 hrs	12 hrs
Platoon	Maintenance	Replace track (done in place by crew)	Heavy	1 hr	2 hrs	3 hrs
		For thrown track		2 hrs	4 hrs	6 hrs
		For damaged track		1 hr	2 hrs	3 hrs
		Clean air filters. 2/ For XM1	Heavy	1 hr	2 hrs	3 hrs
						6 hrs

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 3 - (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Armor Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)
Platoon	Maintenance (cont)	Daily, routine	Light/Moderate	1 hr/move	1 hr/move	1.5 hr/move
		After road march	Light/Moderate	1 hr	1 hr	1.5 hr
	Recovery ^{3/}	Time for notification to travel to site	Light	30 min	30 min	30 min
		Time to hook up	Moderate	15 min	15 min	45 min
		Full turn around ^{4/}	Light/Heavy	4 hrs	6 hrs	12 hrs
		From Brigade trains to tanks	Light/Heavy	2 hrs	3 hrs	4 hrs
	Refuel	For 5 tanks: M60 (250 gallon) XM1 (375 gallon)	Moderate	1.5 hrs	1.5 hrs	2.5 hrs
		Turn around time (top off in trains area)	Moderate	2.5 hrs	2.5 hrs	4.5 hrs
	Resupply tank ammunition, for M60	Load 30 cannon rds	Heavy	2 hrs	2 hrs	3 hrs
		Load .50-cal, 7.62mm, smoke grenades, as required	Heavy	30 min	30 min	180 min
Troop, Ground CAV (Company Size) ^{6/}	Fire mission, 4.2-inch mortar	Preplanned (preset; Not preplanned, usually sustained	Heavy	15 min	30 min	45 min
			Heavy	10rds/min	8rds/min	6rds/min
			Heavy	6rds/min	5rds/min	4rds/min
						2rds/min

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of day light, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 3 - (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Armor Units in a Chemical Warfare (Cw) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
Troop Ground CAV (Company Size) Platoon, Scout (Recon) (9 M113's)Z/	Preparation for fire mission	Unpack and set charges (PD fuzes)	Heavy	1.5min/rd	2mins/rd	3mins/rd
	Site occupation	Hasty	Heavy	15 min	20 min	45 min
		Deliberate	Heavy	20 min	40 min	60 min
	Site displacement	Hasty	Heavy	5 min	10 min	10 min
		Deliberate	Heavy	30 min	60 min	90 min
	Recon area 5km x 5km	To refuel M113	Moderate	20 min	20 min	35 min
		To rearm M113 (machine gun)	Heavy	15 min	30 min	45 min
		To displace (in dismounted mode)	Moderate	5 min(max)	5 min	10 min

1/ All moves, unless otherwise stated, are made at 30km/hr.

2/ Filters removed, shaken, and replaced. Done after approximately every 10 hours of operation.

3/ Rate of travel during recovery: tank w/o track, 8 km/hr; tank w/track, 20 km/hr.

4/ Loaded truck going from Brigade Trains area to tanks, back to ASP, reload, back to Brigade trains.

5/ Tankers going from Brigade Trains area to tanks, back to POL supply, reload, back to Brigade Trains.

6/ Primary function is reconnaissance, but strong enough to fight.

7/ Perform route recon, early warning, flank security, rear area security. Range from 2 km forward of FEBA to 5-10KM back of FEBA.

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 4 - Performance Degradation Data for Artillery Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS			
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	@20°F (-7°C)	WHILE IN MOPF 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	@85°F (29°C)
Battalion (HQs) ^{1/}	Site Occupation	Emergency ^{2/} (For FDC only)	Heavy	~ 20 min	40 min	60 min	120 min
		Deliberate ^{3/}	Heavy	~ 20 min	40 min	60 min	120 min
	Site Displacement	Emergency ^{4/} (For FDC only)	Heavy	6 min	12 min	12 min	36 min
		Deliberate ^{5/}	Heavy	30 min	60 min	90 min	180 min
	155 (SP) Battery Fire Mission ^{7/}	6 Howitzers/5 volleys (1 in Effect)	Heavy	8.5 min	17 min	25.5 min	51 min
		Emergency ^{2/}	Heavy	15 min	30 min	45 min	90 min
	Site Occupation	Deliberate ^{3/}	Heavy	20 min	40 min	60 min	120 min
		Emergency ^{4/}	Heavy	3 min	6 min	9 min	18 min
	Site Displacement	Deliberate ^{5/}	Heavy	30 min	60 min	90 min	180 min
		30 km/hr	Light	(Max) 12 hrs day	12 hrs day	12 hrs day	12 hrs day
Road March	Reconnaissance and Position Selection	Deliberate	Moderate	~ 1 hr	1 hr	1 hr	1.5 hr
		Maintenance	Variable	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Ammo Supply	Turn around time for 10km trip 6/-5 ton truck/155mm ammo	Moderate - Heavy	4 hrs	4-6 hrs	4-8 hrs	6-12 hrs
		Emergency ^{2/}	Heavy	2 min	4 min	6 min	12 min
Howitzer Section	Site Occupation	Deliberate ^{3/}	Heavy	5 min	10 min	15 min	30 min
		Emergency ^{4/}	Heavy	3 min	6 min	9 min	18 min
	Site Displacement	Deliberate ^{5/}	Heavy	30 min	60 min	90 min	180 min

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

NOTE: Footnotes on following page.

TABLE 4 (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Artillery Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
				820°F (-7°C)	850°F (10°C)	885°F (29°C)
Fire Direction Section	Firing	1 round/min (6 rds)	Moderate	6 min	6 min	9 min
	Service Ammo	1 round/min (6 rds)	Heavy	6 min	12 min	18 min
	Site Occupation	Emergency	Heavy	20 min	40 min	60 min
		Deliberate	Heavy	20 min	40 min	60 min
	Site Displacement	Emergency	Heavy	3 min	6 min	9 min
	Compute Fire Mission	Will vary by type	Light	Variable	Variable	Variable
Forward Support Team (FIST)	Target Identification	Time from identification and call for fire.	Light	1 min	1 min	1 min

*Assuring normal duty uniform and relatively cool conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

- 1/ Bn HQ's are usually but not always within 3-5 km of all batteries.
- 2/ EMERGENCY SITE OCCUPATION is a physical move of about 500 meters performed under emergency conditions. Times given refer to the time elapsed between the moment the lead vehicle has entered the new site until the unit is able to commence operations.
- 3/ DELIBERATE SITE OCCUPATION is a physical move of about 7km performed under tactical conditions. Times given refer to the time elapsed between the moment the lead vehicle has entered the new site until the unit is able to commence operations.
- 4/ EMERGENCY SITE DISPLACEMENT is a physical move of about 500 meter^s, performed under emergency conditions. Times given refer to the time elapsed between the moment the order to move is given until the first vehicle has entered the new site and include movement time.
- 5/ DELIBERATE SITE DISPLACEMENT is a physical move of about 7km performed under tactical conditions. Times given refer to the time elapsed between the moment the order to move is given until the first vehicle has entered the new site and include movement time.
- 6/ From division ASP to firing battery and return. Includes loading of ammunition.
- 7/ Time for the fire mission refers to the time elapsed between the moment the battery receives the FM until the rounds have been fired. Does not include time of flight.

Table 5 - Performance Degradation Data for Aviation Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS			
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	@20°F (-7°C)	050°F (10°C)	085°F (29°C)
Combat Aviation Battalion ^{1/}	Site Location and Relocation ^{2/}	Breakdown to move ~ 25km (from time order given to move till first vehicle moves)	Heavy	3 hrs	6 hrs	9 hrs	12 hrs
		Set-up upon reaching new position (time from arrival of first vehicle until operational)	Heavy	2 hrs	4 hrs	6 hrs	12 hrs
Road March		30kn/hr	Heavy	12 hrs max	12 hrs max	12 hrs max	12 hrs max
Maintenance, Scheduled	Daily (if aircraft flew day before)	Moderate	1 hr/air-craft(ac)	1 hr/ac	1 hr/ac	1 hr/ac	3 hrs/ac
	Every 25 hrs of flying time ^{3/}	Moderate	~ 3 hrs/ac	- 3 hrs/ac	- 3 hrs/ac	- 3 hrs/ac	- 9 hrs/ac
	Every 100 hrs of flying time ^{3/}	Moderate	-72 hrs	-72 hrs/ac	-72 hrs/ac	-72 hrs/ac	-216 hrs/ac
	For UH-60, daily	Moderate	2 hrs/ac	2 hrs/ac	2 hrs/ac	2 hrs/ac	6 hrs/ac
	For UH-60, after 50 hrs flying time	Moderate	6 hrs/ac	6 hrs/ac	6 hrs/ac	6 hrs/ac	18 hrs/ac
	For UH-60, after 300 hrs flying time	Moderate	144 hrs/ac	144 hrs/ac	144 hrs/ac	144 hrs/ac	432 hrs/ac
Maintenance, Unscheduled	Depending upon number of days elapsed & hrs flown in combat	Moderate	Daily hrs + scheduled hrs x2	Daily hrs + scheduled hrs x2	Daily hrs + scheduled hrs x2	Daily hrs + scheduled hrs x2	Daily hrs + scheduled hrs x2

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

Table 5 (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Aviation Units in a Chemical Warfare (Ch) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE) @20°F (-7°C)	@50°F (10°C)
Spare Parts Acquisition	From an Aviation Maintenance Support Company located about 10 km away, via motor vehicle (~20 km roundtrip)	Light	3 hrs	3 hrs	3 hrs	5.25 hrs
	From Corps Support Command (COSCOM) located about 50 km away; via aircraft (~100 km roundtrip) ^{5/}	Light	1.5 hrs	1.5 hrs	1.5 hrs	2.0 hrs
Refuel:						
Hot ^{6/}	Moderate	10 min	10 min	10 min	10 min	20 min
Cold	Heavy	30 min	60 min	90 min	180 min	
Briefing	For combat assault	Light	1 hr	1 hr	1 hr	1.25 hr
	For parts run	Light	10 min	10 min	10 min	12 min
	For reconnaissance	Light	1 hr	1 hr	1 hr	1.25 hr
	For parts run	Light	0	0	0	0
Mission planning	For combat assault, 3 people	Light	4-5 hrs	4-5 hrs	4-5 hrs	6 hrs
Reconnaissance ^{8/}	Visual: 25km to area (from Bn); area 20 x 20 km	Moderate	Area 20 km x 20 km	Area 10 km x 10 km (day)	Area 10 km x 10 km (day)	
Target Acquisition ^{9/}	Scout-provides Azimuth and range	Moderate	20 sec	25 sec	25 sec	25 sec

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

Table 5 (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Aviation Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS			
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	@20° F (-7°C)	@50° F (10°C)	@85° F (29°C)
Target Acquisition ⁹⁷	Gunship - "pop-up," and fire Weapons: HELLFIRE (fire & forget) 5000-6000m TOW @ 3750m 40mm @ 1000m 2.75-in rocket + fire & forget 20mm @ 2000m Turn around	Moderate	10 sec	0	0	0	0
Missions: Resupply				15 sec	20 sec 10 sec 0	20 sec 10 sec 0	20 sec 10 sec 0
Command and Control		Variable	Not inhibited by CW	Not inhibited by CW	Not inhibited by CW	Not inhibited by CW	Not inhibited by CW
Medical Evacuation		Medium	Not inhibited by CW	Not inhibited by CW	Not inhibited by CW	Not inhibited by CW	Not inhibited by CW
Airlift		Medium	1.2 x expected time	1.2 x expected time	1.2 x expected time	1.2 x expected time	1.2 x expected time

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

- 1/ Unit operates with OH-58, UH-1, and AH-1S aircraft. Unit will also have UH-60 and EH-11H aircraft which are treated separately with respect to maintenance.
- 2/ Multiply times by 1.5 for night operations.
- 3/ For UH-1, OH-58, and AH-1S.
- 4/ Total down time of 72 hours with more than one mechanic working.
- 5/ Generally an emergency request with prior notification.
- 6/ Engine running.
- 7/ 40mm - 30min; 2.75-In - 15 min; TOWs (8 ea) - 30 min on AH-1S; 20mm - 15 min
- 8/ Recon done by 2 each OH-58 with 2.5 hours of fuel, 2 hours of which is mission time including to and from the area as well as the recon maneuvers over the designated area. Recon conditions assumed: nap of the earth to recon area, at appropriate altitude over the area, at an air speed permitted by the terrain, return with 30 minutes of fuel remaining.

9/ Scout (OH-58) / Gunship (AH-1S) team operating together. Scout acquires target, directs gunship; in azimuth and range.

TABLE 6 - PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR CHEMICAL UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	W/20°F (-7°C)
M&C Defense Company	Respond to Receipt of Warning Order	Planning	Light			
	Prepare the Operating Area for Occupancy	Prepare	Moderate			
	Move the Company to the Operating Area	Movement	Moderate			
	Establish Unit Defense	Prepare	Moderate			
M&C Defense Company, Platoon	Prepare for Movement	Preparation	Moderate			
	Platoon Moves to Bde HQ	Movement	Moderate			
	Position Equipment and Materiel	Prepare	Heavy			
	Circumfer Equipment	Prepare	Heavy			
	Maintain Equipment	Reconstitution	Moderate			
	Request Operating Supplies	Reconstitution	Light			
	Prepare for Operations	Preparation	Moderate			
	Coordinate/Liaison w/ t+ Control HQ	Planning	Light			
	Establish and Maintain Radio Commo	Prepare	Moderate			

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 6 (continued) - PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR CHEMICAL UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
NBC Defense Company, Platoon (continued)	Establish and Maintain Site Platoon Hq.	Prepare	Moderate	@20° F (-7°C)	@50° F (10°C)	@85° F (29°C)
	Wire Commo	Prepare	Heavy			
	Control Deployed Squads	Recon/Decon	Light			
	Coordinate Resupply for Recon	Prepare	Light			
	Coordinate Resupply for Decon	Prepare	Light			
	NBC Defense Company, Recon Squad	Plan and Prepare a Nuclear Reconnaissance	Planning			
		Conduct a Nuclear Reconnaissance	Recon			
		Return from Mission	Reconstitution			
		Plan and Prepare for Aerial Survey	Planning			
		Conduct Aerial Survey	Recon			
	Establish AGCF	Calculate Dose Rate	Heavy			
		Reconstitution	Moderate			

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 6 (continued) - PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR CHEMICAL UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS	
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)
K-2C Defense Company, Recon Squad (continued)	Plan and Prepare a Chemical Reconnaissance	Planning	Light	@20° F (-7°C)	@50° F (10°C) @85° F (29°C)
	Conduct a Chemical Reconnaissance	Recon	Heavy		
	Return from Mission	Reconstitution	Moderate		
	Plan and Prepare for Biological Sampling	Planning	Light		
	Conduct Biological Sampling	Recon	Heavy		
	Return from Mission	Reconstitution	Light		
	Plan and Prepare for Recon to Locate Appropriate Decon Site	Planning	Light		
	Conduct Recon for Decon	Recon	Heavy		
	Return from Mission	Reconstitution	Moderate		
	Plan and Prepare for a Recon	Planning	Light		
K-2D Defense Company, Recon Squad	Conduct a Recon	Recon	Heavy	@20° F (-7°C)	@50° F (10°C) @85° F (29°C)
	Locate the Opposing Force	Recon	Heavy		
	Treat and Evacuate Casualties	Medical Aid	Heavy		
	Return to Assembly Area	Reconstitution	Moderate		

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relative; initial conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 6 (continued) - PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR CHEMICAL UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (29°C)
1B- Defense Company, Recon Squad, etc.	Preparation of Equipment for mission	Prepare individual and patrol equipment and vehicles.	Moderate	@20°F (-7°C)	@50°F (10°C)	@85°F (29°C)
	Reconnoiter danger areas dismounted	Danger areas such as bridges, defile, curve in road, road intersections.	Very Heavy			
	Use radio communication	Send and receive messages.	Light	(1)	(1)	(1)
	Survey and mark PDS/EDS Site	Mark areas for establishing stations on PDS/EDS site.	Moderate			
	Use the M34 soil sampling kit	Use the M34 kit to collect B10 samples, water samples and soil samples.	Moderate			
	Use the ABC-M2 water testing kit	Use to collect water sample and check for contamination.	Moderate			
	Use the IM-174 radiological meter	Take readings from stationary position and while traveling or surveying.	Moderate			
	Decontaminate unit equipment	Perform complete decontamination of a level I Mech Inf Bn.	Heavy	(2)	37 hrs	

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 6 (continued) - PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR CHEMICAL UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4{FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE}	WHILE IN MOPP 4(-7°C)
NBC Defense Company, Recon Squad, Team (continued)	Service the automatic chemical agent alarm.	Perform required services after extended operation.	Moderate	30 min	820°F (-7°C)	850°F (10°C)
	Test for chemical agents using a detector kit.	Perform required tests to determine chemical agent presence.	Moderate	15 min	820°F (-7°C)	850°F (10°C)
	Test water for chemical contamination.		Moderate	30 min	820°F (-7°C)	850°F (10°C)
	Collect biological samples.	Perform required actions to collect biological samples.	Moderate	15 min	820°F (-7°C)	850°F (10°C)
	Monitor personnel supplies and equipment for radiation hazards.		Light	Dependent	820°F (-7°C)	850°F (10°C)
	Conduct NBC reconnaissance.		Heavy	Dependent	820°F (-7°C)	850°F (10°C)
	Smoke Operations		Moderate	Dependent	820°F (-7°C)	850°F (10°C)
	Conduct radiological surveys.		Dependent	Dependent	820°F (-7°C)	850°F (10°C)
	Perform site reconnaissance for decontamination site.		Dependent	Dependent	820°F (-7°C)	850°F (10°C)

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively fair conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 6 (continued) - PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR CHEMICAL UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	@20°F (-7°C)	@50°F (10°C)
NBC Defense Company, Decon Squad	Plan and Prepare for PDS Establishment	Planning	Light			
	Establish PDS	Prepare	Heavy			
	Conduct Personnel Decon	Decon	Heavy	(2)		
	Prepare and Submit Operational Status Reports	Reporting	Light			
	Close PDS and Prepare for Movement	Reconstitution	Heavy	(2)		
	Plan and Prepare for Complete Equipment Decon	Planning	Light			
	Decon Equipment	Decon	Heavy	(2)		
	Close EDS and Prepare for Movement	Reconstitution	Heavy	(2)		
	Plan and Prepare for Terrain Decon	Planning	Light			
	Decon the Terrain	Decon	Heavy	(2)		

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 6 (continued) - PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR CHEMICAL UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/G PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	85° F (29° C)
NBC Defense Company, Decon Squad (continued)	Plan and Prepare for PDS/EDS Establishment	Planning	Light	(2)	(2)	(2)
	Establish PDS/EDS	Prepare	Heavy			
	Conduct Personnel Decon	Decon	Heavy			
	Decon Equipment	Decon	Heavy			
	Close PDS/EDS and Prepare for Movement	Reconstitution	Heavy			
	Plan and Prepare for a Hasty Decon	Planning	Light			
	Establish a Hasty Decon Point	Prepare	Heavy			
	Decon Equipment	Decon	Heavy			
	Close Point and Prepare for Movement	Reconstitution	Heavy			

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively trial conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 6 (continued) - PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR CHEMICAL UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
NBC Defense Company, Decon Squard (continued)	Perform complete decontamination of personnel	Process personnel through a PDS (for a Mech. Inf. Co. of 175 personnel)	Moderate	(2)	@20°F (-7°C)	@50°F (10°C)
	Perform complete decontamination of equipment	Decon 16 APCs (MILITARY) of a Mech. Inf. Co.	Heavy	(2)	30 min/2 per	30 min/2 per
NBCE/JA/JB	Prepare upper air wind data and detailed fallout predictions	Effective downwind msg fallout prediction	Light	45 min (5)	30 min/2 per	30 min/2 per
			Light	20 min (6)		

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

- (1) Messages must usually be repeated.
- (2) Decontamination operations are not performed w/o protective clothing.
- (3) Same time but station operators must be changed every 15 minutes.
- (4) Same time but station operators must be changed after each vehicles.
- (5) Standard is about 25 minutes.
- (6) Standard is about 15 minutes.

TABLE 7. PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR COMBAT ENGINEER UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS			
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	@20°F (-7°C)	@85°F (29°C)
Battalion HQ, S-2	Reconnaissance	Route recon, 2 men, avg. 10 km <u>1/</u>	Moderate	2 hrs	2 hrs	2 hrs	2 hrs
	Mess facility (fold-up field kitchen)	Disassemble (to get operational)	Heavy Heavy	20 min 2/ 35 min	40 min 70 min	60 min 105 min	120 min 210 min
	Displacement, <u>3/</u> 3 M577A1s	To new position (10-15km distance)	Light-Moderate	45 min/ea vehicle	45 min/ea vehicle	45 min/ea vehicle	75 min/ea vehicle
	Load mines (manual)	Average minefield, 2 5-ton dumptrucks	Heavy	1.5 hrs	3 hrs	4.5 hrs	9.0 hrs
	Load demolitions (manual)	For road crater, 2 5-ton dumptrucks	Heavy	30 min	60 min	90 min	180 min
	Secure site	Organize work area	Light	15 min	15 min	15 min	25 min
	Reconnaissance	For obstacle locations, time from start till ready to order materials	Light/Moderate	45 min	45 min	45 min	105 min
	Line Company <u>5/</u>	For class 50 or more bridge (to handle tank traffic)	Light/Moderate	3 hrs	3 hrs	3 hrs	~7 hrs
		For assault bridge (to cross river or ditch)	Light/Moderate	2 hrs	2 hrs	2 hrs	6 hrs
		For large guilty w/o water	Light/Moderate	30 min	30 min	30 min	90 min
		Prepare hull defilade position, per tank per-digging vehicle <u>6/</u>	Dirt berm around tank	30 min	30 min	30 min	90 min

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 7 - (Continued) - PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR COMBAT ENGINEER UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS			
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	@20°F (-7°C)	@85°F (29°C)
Line Company	Dig tank ditch 2' digging vehicles in any combination	3.2m wide x 1.8m deep	Moderate	2.5 hrs/100m length	2.5 hrs/100m length	2.5 hrs/100m length	.7.0 hrs/100m length
	Minefield emplacement: w/M57 towed mine dispenser	300m long x 50m deep 7/	Moderate	1 platoon hr	1 platoon hr	1 platoon hr	3 platoon hours
	By hand	100m long x 100m deep 7/	Heavy	4 squad hrs	8 squad hrs	12 squad hrs	24 squad hrs
	Disable bridges	4 lane highway	Heavy	3 squad hrs	6 squad hrs	9 squad hrs	18 squad hrs
		2 lane primary road	Heavy	2 squad hrs	4 squad hrs	6 squad hrs	12 squad hrs
	Build abatis (30 trees, 40 meters deep w/trees 25-35 cm in diam.)	40 meters apart	Heavy	2 squad hrs	4 squad hrs	6 squad hrs	12 squad hrs
	Build road crater, average size (terrain dependent)	50m long x 25m wide x 4m deep	Heavy	2 squad hrs	4 squad hrs	6 squad hrs	12 squad hrs
	Breach minefield	Hasty(w/bangalore torpedo-footpath wide)	Heavy	2 squad hrs	4 squad hrs	6 squad hrs	12 squad hrs
		Using detector/probe 8-ft wide	Heavy	1 platoon hr	2 platoon hr	3 platoon hrs	6 platoon hrs
		w/M157 demolition snake, 90m deep, 4-6m wide	Heavy	2 squad hrs	4 squad hrs	6 squad hrs	12 squad hrs
	Bridging	Temporary fording 8/	Heavy	1 hr for equipment	2 hrs for equipment	3 hrs for equipment	6 hrs for equipment
		Mobile assault bridge: Ideal conditions w/fest current	Heavy Heavy	200m/hr 150m/hr	200m/2 hrs 150m/2 hrs	200m/3 hrs 150m/3 hrs	200m/6 hrs 150m/6 hrs

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 7 - (Continued) -

PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR COMBAT ENGINEER UNITS, IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (C-W) ENVIRONMENT.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (10°C)
Line Company	Bridging	Ribbon bridge 9/ length under ideal conditions 10/ Bailey bridge, 25 m long; ideal conditions	Heavy	5 min./bay	10 min./bay	15 min./bay
			Heavy	3 hrs	5 hrs	9 hrs
			Heavy	5.5 hrs (7 hrs in dark)	11 hrs	16.5 hrs
						33 hrs

1/ Includes time from start, coordination with requesting unit, doing actual survey, completion of paper work, and return.
 2/ Does not include travel time.

3/ Have 3 M577A1s; one always operational, 2 moving.

4/ Operates forward stockage point.

5/ Consists of 3 platoons of 3 squads each. Squads use one M113 (APC) + a 1.5-ton trailer; 8 men.

6/ Requested by armor unit. Performed ahead of time. Dig hole large enough to hide tank.

7/ Density of 0.5 mines/meter of front. Double times if density of 1 mine/meter of front is used.

8/ Knock down banks, grade, add gravel, etc.

9/ Medium girder bridge. Number of bays depends upon width of river. For each 3 bays, add 5 min for bridge erection boat.

10/ 42 people, assume trained troops. Add 50-100% for bad weather. Add 30-50% for bad weather. Add 20% to time if untrained troops.

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 7(a). PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR COMBAT ENGINEER UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS			
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	@20° F (-7° C)	@50° F (10° C)
Mine emplacement, per man	Anti-tank Anti-personnel, frag Anti-personnel, blast	Heavy Heavy Heavy	4 mines/hr 8 mines/hr 16 mines/hr	4 mines/2 hrs 8 mines/2 hrs 16 mines/2 hrs	4 mines/3 hrs 8 mines/3 hrs 16 mines/3 hrs	4 mines/6 hrs 8 mines/6 hrs 16 mines/6 hrs	085° F (29° C)
Shelter, no revetment materials used	Open 1-man foxhole Open 2-man foxhole Open automatic rifle emplacement Open horseshoe type M50 MG emplacement 105-mm howitzer emplacement 155-mm howitzer emplacement	Heavy Heavy Heavy Heavy Heavy Heavy	2 hrs 3 man hrs. 4 man hrs 4 man hrs 100 man hrs 170 man hrs	4 hrs 6 man hrs 8 man hrs 8 man hrs 200 man hrs 340 man hrs	6 hrs 9 man hrs 12 man hrs 12 man hrs 300 man hrs 510 man hrs	12 hrs 18 man hrs 24 man hrs 24 man hrs 600 man hrs 1020 man hrs	085° F (29° C)

Note: Times are given in FM 5-34.

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 8 - Performance Degradation Data for Infantry Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	@20°F (-7°C)	@50°F (10°C)
Squad, 9 man	Maintenance Position preparation, 2-man	Clean weapon	Light	15 min	20 min	20 min
		Hasty, minimum protection,	Heavy	10 min	20 min	30 min
		In sand	Heavy	120 min	240 min	360 min
		In clay	Heavy	30 min	60 min	90 min
		In plowed, loose dirt	Heavy			
		Deliberate, improved protection,	Heavy			
		In sand	Heavy	20 min	40 min	60 min
		In clay	Heavy	240 min	480 min	720 min
		In plowed, loose dirt	Heavy	60 min	120 min	180 min
		Road march (normal) 4 km @ 4 km/hr	Heavy	60 min	120 min	180 min
Assault, 500 meters against moderate opposition	Fast walk, 6 km/hr	Assault, 500 meters against moderate opposition	Heavy	20 min	40 min	60 min
		Rest, relief, mess	Protected	Variable	Variable	Variable
		Refuel four M113's, turn around times, or Bn fuel tankers (1)(2)	Light - Moderate	3.5 hrs	3.5 hrs	3.5 hrs
		15 km, refuel 4 vehicles, 15 km return, refill tanker	Light - Heavy	1.5 hrs	3.0 hrs	4.5 hrs
		Ammunition resupply, turn around time for Bn trucks (2)(3)	Light - Heavy			9.0 hrs

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 8 (continued) -

Performance Degradation for Infantry Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (29°C)
Bn w/ (Combat)	Site displacement (4)	Hasty, 500 meters	Moderate	5 min	5 min	15 min
	Site replacement	Hasty, erect antenna	Heavy	10 min	20 min	30 min
DS maintenance (5)	Displacement	Move of 10 km or more, time from notification to march order	Heavy	35 min (6)	70 min	105 min
	Encirclement, time to become operational upon arrival at new site.	Deliberate, PCL	Light	Immediate	Immediate	Immediate
		AmMO	Light	Immediate	Immediate	Immediate
		Mess	Heavy	45 min	90 min	135 min
		Maintenance	heavy	2 hrs	4 hrs	6 hrs
						12 hrs

(1) Bn Maintenance to assumed to be 15 km back of FEBA.

(2) Bn resupply vehicles will travel as far as reserve company area and refuel vehicles or transfer ammunition to company vehicles.

(3) Ammunition arrives at the Bn crated and palletized. Bn breaks down the ammunition for specific company requests. Transfers of all ammunition below Bn are manual.

(4) Bn commander operates out of an M113 (stretch). Major task for this unit is the erection and dismantling of an M292 antenna. Generally located about 2 km back of company positions.

(5) Generally 20 km back of the FEBA.

(6) Road march time is not included.

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 8a - Performance Degradation Data for Infantry Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.**

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/C PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	(See Note 2)
TOW Crew	Firing Operation	<p>(1) Mount TOW on M113A1 (TOW) for extended travel</p> <p>(2) Engage target from extended travel</p> <p>(3) Cease fire/out of action and move out in extended travel</p> <p>(4) Dismount TOW from extended travel</p> <p>(5) Engage target</p> <p>(6) Cease fire/out of action</p>	<p>[See Note 1]</p> <p>2:16</p> <p>0:50</p> <p>0:59</p> <p>0:60</p> <p>0:19</p> <p>0:16</p> <p>5:50</p>	<p>020° F (-7°C)</p> <p>059° F (10°C)</p>	<p>020° F (-7°C)</p> <p>059° F (10°C)</p>	<p>085° F (29°C)</p> <p>5:00</p>

Note 1: Condition is really MOPP 1 = Soldiers carry protective mask: other MOPP gear is readily accessible.

Note 2: Temp. of test was 73°F

*Information supplied in letter ATSH-CO-MS-C, did 20 Feb 81.

**Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 9 - PERFORMANCE DEGRADATION DATA FOR MEDICAL UNITS IN A CHEMICAL WARFARE (CW) ENVIRONMENT.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS			
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING)	@20° F (-7°C)	@50° F (10°C)
Medical Company	Establish clearing Station (able to receive patients)	To be minimally operational: In open area ² In wooded area ³ For entire clearing station to be operational: In open area In wooded area	Moderate to heavy	2.5 hrs ⁴ 3.5 hrs	2.5 - 5 hrs ⁵ 3.5 - 7 hrs	2.5 - 7.5 hrs 3.5 - 10.5 hrs	7.5 - 15 hrs 10.5 - 21 hrs
			Moderate to Heavy	5.5 hrs 6.5 hrs	5.5 - 11 hrs 6.5 - 13 hrs	5.5 - 16.5 hrs 6.5 - 19.5 hrs	16.5 - 33 hrs ⁶ 19.5 - 39 hrs
	Disestablish clearing Station (receiving patients)	Minimally operational ⁸ In open area In wooded area Complete	Moderate to Heavy	2 hrs 2.5 hrs	2 - 4 hrs 2.5 - 5 hrs	2 - 6 hrs 2.5 - 7.5 hrs	6 - 12 hrs ⁶ 7.5 - 15 hrs ⁶
			Moderate to Heavy	4 hrs 4.5 hrs	4 - 8 hrs 4.5 - 9 hrs	4 - 12 hrs 4.5 - 13.5 hrs	12 - 24 hrs ⁶ 13.5 - 27 hrs

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. Units otherwise stated.

Table 9 (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Medical Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIME'S REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	@20°F (-7°C)	@50°F (10°C)
Medical Platoon/ Section of Combat/Combat Support Unit	Establish Battalions Aid Station (BAS): For Level 1 Unit ¹⁰	In M51 Shelter ¹¹	Moderate	30 min ¹²	30 min	30 min
		Under tentage ¹³	Moderate	20 min	25 min	20 min
		Under tarp/shelter/lean-to in an organic vehicle	Light	10 min	10 min	10 min
	For Level 2 Unit ¹⁴	Light	5 min	5 min	5 min	5 min
		In M51 Shelter	Moderate	60 min	60 min	60 min
		Under tentage	Moderate	30 min	30 min	30 min
		Under tarp/shelter/lean-to	Light	15 min	15 min	15 min
		In an organic vehicle	Light	10 min	10 min	10 min
	Diseasableish BAS: ¹⁵	From M51 Shelter	Moderate	30 min	30 min	30 min
		From under tentage	Moderate	20 min	20 min	20 min
		From under tarp/shelter/lean-to	Light	10 min	10 min	10 min
		From an organic vehicle	Light	5 min	5 min	5 min
	For Level 2 Unit	From M51 Shelter	Moderate	60 min	60 min	60 min
		From under tentage	Moderate	30 min	30 min	30 min
		From under tarp/shelter/lean-to	Light	15 min	15 min	15 min
		From an organic vehicle	Light	10 min	10 min	10 min

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

¹Minimally operational medical company clearing station includes a receiving and disposition area, emergency treatment area, one OR, CMS, laboratory, X-ray, and one ward.

²Open area means flat ground that does not require further preparation.

³Woodsed area means light underbrush that must be cleared but trees do not have to be removed. Times do not include that required for camouflage, or installing stoves and flooring.

⁴If areas not previously reconnoitered, add 0.5 - 1 hr to times.

⁵Shorter time based on moderate workload; longer time (computed) based on heavy workload. (Applies to all time ranges given).

⁶Add 25-30% more time for those portions of operations conducted at night.

⁷Patients being received are only referred to another facility. Other patients are being evacuated.

⁸Only that portion of unit required to establish operations at a new site disestablished.

⁹Capable of receiving and treating patients to a level of care designed for a BAS.

¹⁰Minimum tasks that must be performed before a unit can be classified as combat ready.

¹¹Heli shelter is not erected unless a chemical attack is expected and the area is to be occupied in excess of 6 - 8 hours.

¹²Times do not include the establishment of a helicopter landing area.

¹³Tentage is not erected unless the occupant of the area is expected to be in excess of 8 - 10 hours, or there is a need for protection from inclement weather.

¹⁴Minimum tasks that must be performed before a unit can be classified as having attained Level 2 proficiency.

¹⁵To load equipment, prepare patients for evacuation, and be ready to move to new location.

TABLE 9a-- Performance Degradation Data for Medical Service Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.**

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS			
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*		WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
				020°F (-7°C)	050°F (10°C)	050°F (10°C)	085°F (29°C)
Medical Service Detachment, 8 people, usually 2 men/team	Preventive medicine inspection (1)	Basic, company size unit	Moderate	.5 day	.5 day	.5 day	1 day
	Battalion size unit	Moderate	2 days	2 days	2 days	2 days	3 days
	For Division size element	Moderate -	1.5 days (3)	1.5 days	1.5 days	1.5 days	2 days
	Division size area	Moderate	1 day	1 day	1 day	1 day	1.5 days
	Interview people, both sick and well	Light	1 day	1 day	1 day	1 day	1.5 days
	Develop statistics	Light	1 day	1 day	1 day	1 day	1.5 days
	Investigate causes; initiate corrective actions	Moderate - Light	1 day	1 day	1 day	1 day	1.5 days
	Inspect ration break - down points	Moderate - Light	.5 day	.5 day	.5 day	.5 day	1 day
	Spray personnel for lice problem	Moderate	1 day	1 day	1 day	1 day	1.5 days
	Inspect landfill	Moderate	.5 day	.5 day	.5 day	.5 day	1 day
	Inspect hospital	Moderate	1 day	1 day	1 day	1 day	1.5 days
	Maintenance, PM, jeep-type vehicle	Normal	10 min	10 min	10 min	10 min	15 min
				inappropriate under MOPP 4 conditions;			
				Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).			

- (1) Includes inspection of kitchen, garbage disposal, latrines, insect/rodent control, water treatment, laundries, and check of immunization of personnel.
- (2) Includes collection of mosquitoes and larvae, identify specimens, and recommend control operations (spray, drain standing water, cut grass, etc.).
- (3) One day to do survey; one-half day to perform analyses (after collection).

TABLE 10 - Performance Degradation Data for Military Police in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT Variable (1)	MAJOR FUNCTION Convoy escort (2)	DESCRIPTION Ammunition convoy	WORKLOAD Light/ Moderate	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE) @20°F (-7°C)	@85°F (29°C)
Traffic control	At intersections	Moderate	N/A (3)	N/A	N/A	N/A
Provide security, rear areas	At river crossings	Moderate	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Provide security, command post	Respond to infiltrators	Moderate	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Prisoner escort	To POW camp	Moderate	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Guard POWs	At collection points	Light/ Moderate	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Law enforcement	Within cities/towns	Light/ Moderate	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Straggler control	Civilian population	Light/ Moderate	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Maintain stockade	In war zone	Light/ Moderate	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

(1) Unit size/number of personnel will vary depending upon the magnitude and severity of the task, e.g., the more POWs captured, the greater the number of guards required; the larger the convoy, the more personnel and vehicles required to provide security; etc.

(2) Insure road is open and clear (safe). In cooperation with combat forces.

(3) Times are not clearly defined as these functions are essentially continuous. Intensity of effort and duration of effort will vary in proportion to the size of the problem.

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 11- Performance Degradation Data for Ordnance Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
Artillery Supply Company	Site occupation hostile (1)	Map recon (prior)	Light	30 min	30 min	50 min
		Once site has been selected	Heavy	25 min	50 min	150 min
		Establish security	Heavy	30 min	60 min	180 min
		Map recon (prior)	Light	30 min	30 min	50 min
		Physical inspection of site	Light/Moderate	2-2.5 hrs	2-2.5 hrs	3.5-4.3 hrs
	Site occupation, deliberate (1)	Select stockage points	Light/Moderate	30-45 min	30-45 min	50-80 min
		Move to a deliberate site, start to finish	Heavy	6 hrs	12 hrs	18 hrs
		Distribute ammunition (2)	Heavy	30-45 min	60-90 min	90-135 min
		Move 15 km, start to finish (3)	Heavy	3-3.5 hrs	6-7 hrs	9-10.5 hrs
		Maintenance company Displacement Maintenance company (Direct forward support)	Heavy	4 hrs	8 hrs	12 hrs
Special Weapons Company	If take along all materiel	Heavy	24 hrs	48 hrs	72 hrs	144 hrs
	Occupy new area	Heavy	3 hrs	6 hrs	9 hrs	18 hrs
	Change power pack in M113 APC	Heavy	3 hrs	6 hrs	9 hrs	18 hrs

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 11 (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Ordnance Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
Maintenance Unit Company-size (124 people)	Change power pack in M113 APC	w/ untrained 3-man team	Heavy	6 hrs	12 hrs	18 hrs
	Change Cannon	155mm towed howitzer, untrained team (4)	Heavy	3-4 hrs	6-8 hrs	9-12 hrs
	Change recoil mechanism	w/ trained team 155mm, towed howitzer, (5) untrained team	Heavy	2-2.5 hrs	4-5 hrs	6-7.5 hrs
	Establish & maintain unit area	Includes placement of equipment and material, erection of maintenance facilities, and begin process for receiving supported equipment	Heavy	8 hrs	16 hrs	24 hrs
	Perform technical inspections	M60 series tank by 4 people	Moderate	4.5 hrs	9.0 hrs	13.5 hrs
	M109 howitzer by 4 people	Moderate	1 hr max	1 hr max	1 hr max	3 hr max
	M151A1 truck by 2 people	Moderate	1 hr max	1 hr max	1 hr max	3 hrs max
	Replace transmission assembly, M60 series tank	Heavy	30 min max	30 min max	30 min max	90 min max
	Perform direct support repairs	Replace engine in M113 series tracked vehicle	16.5 man hrs	33 man hrs*	49.5 man hrs	99 man hrs
	Replace clutch disk and pressure plate, 5-ton M52A1 truck tractor	Heavy	9.3 man hrs	18.6 man hrs	27.9 man hrs	55.8 man hrs

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 11 (continued)- Performance Degradation Data for Ordnance Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
Perform recovery operations	On mired or terrain stuck vehicle; includes rigging 2.1 mechanical advantage; 4 people	Heavy	32 min	64 min	96 min.	192 min.
Provide DX/float Service	Process M151A1 carburetor for DX, 1 person Process and issue float assets in return for an unserviceable asset, 1 person	Light	20 min 60 min	20 min 60 min	20 min 60 min	35 min 105 min

- (1) Issues can be made immediately, from backs of trucks.
- (2) "Normal" requirement; 155mm shells + propellant charges. (If palletized).
- (3) About 40-45 vehicles; 5-ton trucks w/12-ton trailers. Convoy speed 25 mph (max).
- (4) With a knowledgeable team that does not have a large amount of "hands-on" training.
- (5) Includes 3 people + a wrecker + supervisory NCOs.

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 12 - Performance Degradation Data for Quartermaster Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.* *

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE) @20°F (-7°C)	@50°F (10°C)
Supply & Service Company	Receive Class I and Selected Class IV supplies	On-going mission which depends on the volume and size of supplies	Heavy	Variable Add 15-20 min/hr of working time	Add 15-20 min/hr of working time	Add ~50 min per hr of working time
Forward Supply Section (FSS) - 18 men	Set up FSS Supply point	Includes tents, tarpaulins, camouflage nets, open storage	Heavy	6-8 hrs (based on mission requirements)	7-9 hours	8-10 hours
	Receive Class II and Selected Class IV and VII supplies, and storage of these items	As with Class I above	Heavy	Variable Add 15-20 min/hr of working time	Add 15-20 min/hr of working time	Add ~50 min per hr of working time
	Transmit receiving documents to the DMMC	As needed to update DMMC transaction register	Light	3-5 min per transaction	Add 5-10 min per hr of working time	Add ~20 min per hr of working time
	Issue of Class I, III, IV, and VII supplies	Based on amount requested on the issue documents:	Moderate-Heavy	Add 15-20 min/hr of working time	Add 5-10 min per hr of working time	Add ~20 min per hr of working time
FSS-18 men	Receive, store, issue Class III supplies (POL)	To move out only: Class I Class II, IV, VII Class III	Heavy	~1000 rations/hr ~2-4 short tons/hr 1200 gal/hr	Add 15-20 min/hr of working time Add 15-20 min/hr of working time Add 20-25 min:/ 1200 gals received or issued	Add ~30-40 min/hr of working time Add ~30-40 min/hr of working time Add 40-50 min per 1200 gals received or issued
	Decontamination of Equipment and/or preparation to move out			+3 hours 4-6 hours 3-5 hours	+3 hrs (1) +4-6 hours (1) +2 hours	+6 hours +8 hours +2 hours

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 12 (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Quartermaster Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
Main Supply Platoons	Position equipment and materiel	Position tent, dunnage, and other materiel	Heavy	4-6 hours	@20°F (-7°C)	@50°F (10°C)
Class I and IV Section	Store division reserve stocks	Based on MHE equipment available	Heavy	3-5 hours	Add 2 hours	Add 4 hours @85°F (29°C)
	Break bulk (palletized) supplies for storage or issue	Class I	Heavy	2-4 short tons per hour	Add 30 min to each hour	Add 50 min to each hour
	Issue Class I and IV	Class IV	Heavy	2000 rations/hr	Add 30 min/hr	Add 30 min/hr
	As per mission requirement:		Heavy	2 short tons/hr	Add 45-60 min/hr	Add 90-120 min/hr
	Class I		Heavy	3-4000 rations per hour	Add 15 min/hr	Add 50 min per hour
	Class IV		Heavy	4-5 short tons per hour	Add 30-45 min/hr	Add 45-60 min/hr
Class III Section	Prepare terrain and establish the Fuel System Supply Point 10,000 gal system w/ 350 GPM pump	Fuel a 30-vehicle convoy	Heavy	6-8 hours	Add 2 hours	Add 4 hours
Class II, IV, and VII Section	Store supplies, unclassified maps, and division reserve stocks	In support for division size, with MHE capability	Heavy	~ 1 hour	Add 15 min/hr	Add 30 min/hr
			Heavy	~ 18-24 hours	Add 4-6 hours	Add 4-6 hours Add 8-10 hours

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 12 (Continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Quartermaster Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	@20° F (-7°C)	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE) @50° F (10°C)
Central Issue (CIF)	Issue Class II, IV, and VII supplies	With MHE	Heavy	12-14 short tons/hr	Add 2-4 hours	Add 4-6 hours
	Prepare Class II and selected Class IV and VII items for shipment	Document, packaging, palletizing	Heavy	8-9 short tons/hr	Add 1.5-3 hrs	Add 3-5 hrs
	Establish the salvage collection point	For division	Heavy	4-6 hours	Add 1-1.5 hours	Add 1-1.5 hours Add 2-3 hours
	Position tents, dunnage, and administrative equipment		Heavy	2-3 hours	Add 45-60 min	Add 1.5-2 hours
	Position CIF stocks (clothing, TA-50, etc.)		Heavy	4-5 hours	Add 1-2 hours	Add 2-4 hours
	Receive clothing and equipment from a company size unit, i.e., turn-ins	Based on 3 sets of clothing per man for a 250-man company	Moderate-Heavy	2-3 hours	Add 45-60 min	Add 1.5-2 hours
	Issue of new clothing for above unit plus equipment (TA-50)	Based on 3 sets of clothing per man for a 250-man company	Moderate-Heavy	2-3 hours	Add 45-60 min	Add 1.5-2 hours
	Establish undressing, deousing, bathing, and dressing areas	By an 8-man team	Heavy	2.5-3 hours	Add 1-1.5 hrs	Add 2-3 hrs
	Position clothing exchange stocks		Heavy	1-2 hours	Add 30 min	Add 45-60 min
	Connect bath equipment, 3000-gal blivit, hoses, pump, pallets, etc.	By an 8-man team	Moderate-Heavy	1.5-2 hours	Add 0.75-1.25 hours	Add 1-1.5 hrs

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 12 (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Quartermaster Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
	Prepare drainage system (Heavy labor, ditch digging)	Under normal conditions	Heavy	1 hour	Add 1 hour*	Add 1 hour*
	Operate shower equipment	For 8 men to go through	Moderate	8-10 min	15-20 min (2)	15-20 min (2)
Graves Registration, Collection, Identification, and Evaluation Section (GRRES)	Position tents and equipment	Heavy	3-4 hours	Add 1 hour	Add 1 hour	Add 2 hours
	Receive remains	Moderate	5-10 min/body	Add 5 min* time to decontaminate remains (1 hr)	Add 5 min* time to decontaminate remains (1 hr)	Add 2 hours
	Identify remains	Light	5 min-hrs	Add minimum of 1/3 more time per body	Add minimum of 1/3 more time per body	Add 2 hours
	Inventorv personnel effects	Light*	5-10 min/body	Add 3-5 min	Add 3-5 min	Add 6-10 min per body
	Load and evacuate remains to a mortuary or to a temporary cemetery	Light-moderate	5-10 min/body	Add 5 min/body	Add 5 min per body	Add 10 min./body
	Establish perimeter defense: Wire, foxholes, barriers, mines, etc.	Heavy	8-10 hrs	Add 4-6 hrs ^{3}	Add 4-6 hrs ^{3}	Add 6-8 hrs
Surveillance and Service Company (SSC)	Camouflage area (natural + nets)	Same as above	4-6 hours	Add 1-2 hours	Add 1-2 hours	Add 2-4 hours

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

1. Times reflect both decontamination of equipment and preparation to move out.
2. Time includes that required to decontaminate.
3. To include good overhead cover and protected positions.

*This table was prepared entirely by CPT Andrew W. Knight, USATECOM, ARG, MD.

TABLE 13 - Performance Degradation Data for Sigma I Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	@20° F (-7°C)	@50° F (10°C)
Artillery Combat Battalion	Establish communications	Wire (1) FM (2)	Heavy	<2 hours	<4 hours	<12 hours
		Erect antenna (RC-292)	Heavy	<30 min	<1.5 hrs	<3 hours
		AM (3)	Heavy	<15 min	<30 min	<45 min
		AM (3)	Heavy	<1 hour	<2 hours	<1.5 hours
Artillery Group HQ	Establish communications, Wire to Battalion, ~1 mile	Heavy	2 hrs max.	4 hrs max.	6 hrs max.	<6 hours
		Multichannel (4)	Heavy	3-4 hours	6-8 hours	12 hrs max.
		Time of alert till begin to move	Heavy	2 hrs max.	4 hrs max.	12 hrs max.
		Become operational at new site	Heavy	2 hrs max.	4 hrs max.	12 hrs max.

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE i3 - (Continued) Performance Degradation Data for Signal Units in a Chemical Warfare (Ch) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
Signal Bn	Establish communications (VHF) between Div Main, Div Arty, Tac CP, and forward Brigades (Each link a 12 channel system)	Minimum number of links to "fight the war."	Heavy	2 hrs max	020°F (-7°C)	050°F (10°C)
	RATT Station, w/double antenna	Complete	Heavy	12 hrs max	24 hrs max	36 hrs max
		Set up station Get into net	Heavy - Heavy - Moderate	.5 hr 1 hr 2 hrs	1 hr 3 hrs	1.5 hrs 3 hrs
	FM Station (Div - CG Cmd Net and Ops/intel Net)	Set up station w/RC-292 antenna w/whip antenna	Heavy Heavy	.5 hr 15 min	1 hr 30 min	1.5 hr 45 min
		Get into net w/RC-292 antenna w/whip antenna	Heavy - Moderate Heavy - Moderate	1 hr .5 hr 1 hr	2 hrs 1 hr	3 hrs 1.5 hrs
	Lay cable within Div Main Area (from Patch Panel (SB61))	Cable (26 pair) Wire (1 pair)	Heavy Heavy	4 hrs max 2 hrs max	8 hrs max 4 hrs	12 hrs max 6 hrs max

(1) Lay wire from Bn FDC to Batteries; usually less than 1 mi (usually in hundreds of yards).

(2) Erect antenna, connect to radio, open the net.

(3) Erect doublet antenna, hook up generator, come into the net.

(4) Erect large antennas (horn, hydraulic type), perform alignment, get on correct frequency.

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 14 - Performance Degradation Data for Transportation Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
Aviation Intermediate Maintenance Company ⁽¹⁾	Aircraft maintenance	Periodic inspection	Moderate - Heavy	Variable	Variable	Variable
	Change engine	Heavy	1-3 days (2)	2-4 days	2-4 days	3-5 days
	Phase inspection	Moderate - Heavy	2-7 days	3-8 days	3-8 days	4-10 days
	Test flight	Moderate	1 hr	1 hr	1 hr	3 hrs
	Avionics, check	Moderate	15-30 min	15-30 min	15-30 min	45-90 min
	Avionics, trouble-shoot	Moderate	1-2 hrs	1-2 hrs	1-2 hrs	3-6 hrs
	Change rotor blades:					
	To remove	Heavy	2-4 hrs	4-8 hrs	6-12 hrs	12-24 hrs
	To replace	Heavy	2 hrs	4 hrs	6 hrs	12 hrs
	Blade balance	Moderate	½-1 hr	½-1 hr	½-1 hr	½-1 hr
	Blade track	Moderate	45 min	45 min	45 min	135 min
Aircraft recovery ⁽³⁾	Ground check		30 min	30 min	30 min	1.5 hrs
	Test flight		15 min	15 min	15 min	45 min
	Time on site ⁽⁴⁾	Heavy	1 hr	2 hrs	3 hrs	6 hrs
	Preparation for removal	Heavy	20 min	40 min	60 min	120 min

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

TABLE 14 (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Transportation Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS			
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	@20°F (-7°C)	@50°F (10°C)
Move to new site, with in 50-100 miles of support units (5)	Actual movement Become operational (6)	Prepare to move Actual movement Become operational (6)	Heavy Moderate Heavy	1 day 1 day 1-2 days	2 days 1 day 2-4 days	3 days 1 day 3-6 days	6 days 3 days 6-12 days

- (1) Consists of 250-300 men, 4 platoon elements, operating from a semi-fixed facility.
- (2) Time required depends on type of airframe.
- (3) Uses CH-47 + 10-man rigging crew + UH-1. Crew goes out and prepares aircraft for recovery; CH-47 comes in, hooks up, removes.
- (4) Travel time varies w/distance.
- (5) Unit operates at a 50-100 mile range of supported units. When move is made, the 50-100 mile range will usually be maintained.
- (6) Could actually operate from 2 sites (old and new) for period of 1 week (until finish previously started repairs).

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

Table 14a - Performance Degradation Data for Transportation: Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
TRANSCOM (Transportation Command)	Command and control of transportation units w/in theater (except MCA)	Staff assistance; coordination of transport services	Light	Continuous	N/A (1)	N/A (1)
Transportation Movement Control Agency (MCA)	Operate Movement Control Centers (MCC)	Control movement of personnel and materiel in COMZ; Perform highway traffic regulation w/in COMZ	Light	Continuous	N/A (1)	N/A (1)
COSCOM MCC	Command and control of Motor Trans. Bn.	Staff assistance; control movement of personnel and materiel w/in corps area.	Moderate	Continuous	N/A (2)	N/A (2)
Transportation Motor Group:	Command and control of motor Bns.	Staff assistance; coordinate transportation; supervise transportation	Light	Continuous	N/A	N/A
S2/S3	Operations and training	(a) Route recon (b) Movement Plans	Heavy Moderate	2-4 hrs 6-8 hrs	4-8 hrs 6-8 hrs	12-24 hrs 18-24 hrs
⁴ S	Motor Maintenance	Maintenance procedures (general supervision of maintenance w/in factor Bns.)	Moderate	6-8 hrs	6-8 hrs	18-24 hrs
Medium Truck Company	Resupply of tactical and non-tactical units	Short haul operations Long haul operations	Heavy Heavy	Continuous Continuous	N/A (3) N/A (3)	N/A (3)
	Vehicle driver	(a) Receive cargo (b) Deliver cargo	Moderate Moderate	1-2 hrs 6-8 hrs	1-2 hrs 6-8 hrs	3-5 hrs 18-22 hrs

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively fair conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

Table 14a - (continued) - Performance Degradation Data for Transportation Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4(FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
Medium Truck Company	Vehicle driver	(c) Off load (d) Maintenance	Moderate	1-2 hrs	1-2 hrs	1-2 hrs
	Platoon HQ	Coordinate cargo receipt Accompany Movement Off Load	Moderate	1-2 hrs	1-2 hrs	1-2 hrs
Transportation Terminal Group	Command and Supervise Terminal Bns	Staff assistance; coordinate services; supervise operations	Moderate	6-8 hrs	6-8 hrs	6-8 hrs
Terminal Bn	Command and supervision of terminal service and terminal transfer companies	Light to Moderate	Continuous	N/A (4)	N/A (4)	N/A (4)
Transportation Terminal Service Company	Discharge Vessels	Heavy	Continuous	N/A (5)	N/A (5)	N/A (5)

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively ideal conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

- (1) Personnel not routinely exposed to adverse tactical conditions.
- (2) Personnel of regulating teams could be exposed to significant amounts of contamination. Significant degradation would result and a great impact upon traffic congestion and the efficiency of motor transportation operations could be expected.
- (3) High exposure risk for personnel (drivers). Exposure would likely produce a drastic decrease in rate of resupply and disrupt operations.
- (4) Unit located at major transportation "choke points" (harbors, ports, terminals). Functions are mainly administrative/clerical w/heavy dependence upon data systems and telephonic communications. Personnel not routinely exposed to adverse conditions.
- (5) Personnel routinely exposed to environment; heavily dependent upon data systems and telephonic communications.
- (6) Personnel employed in built-up port areas or in "bare-beach" operations. Exposed to environment; would suffer high degree of degradation if required to operate in an NBC environment. Tasks are labor intensive, constraint of movement would significantly reduce efficiency.

Table 14b - Performance Degradation Data for Transportation Units in a Chemical Warfare (CW) Environment.

TYPE OF UNIT	MAJOR FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	WORKLOAD	TIMES REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH FUNCTIONS		
				W/O PROTECTIVE CLOTHING*	WHILE IN MOPP 4 (FULL PROTECTIVE ENSEMBLE)	
Transportation Bn:				828°F (-7°c)	850°F (10°c)	885°F (29°c)
Motor Transport Co	Move general cargo and personnel; equipped with either 2½ or 5-ton trucks (f) 45 trucks available	Local haul (about 15 mi forward), round trip per truck	Moderate	5 hrs (2)	5 hrs	15 hrs
		Line haul (about 75 mi forward), round trip per truck	Moderate	10 hrs (3)	10 hrs	30 hrs
Medium Truck Co	Move general cargo, bulk PQL products, and refrigerated cargo; equipped with 45 semi-trailer combinations (4)	Local haul, about 15 mi forward, round trip per truck	Moderate	5 hrs (2)	5 hrs	15 hrs
		Line haul, about 75 mi forward, round trip per truck	Moderate	10 hrs (3)	10 hrs	30 hrs
Heavy Truck Co	Move tanks and heavy or oversized cargo and vehicles, operating with 18 truck tractors and semi-trailers (5)	Local haul, about 15 mi forward, round trip per truck	Moderate	5 hrs (2)	5 hrs	15 hrs
		Line haul, about 75 mi forward, round trip per truck	Moderate	10 hrs (3)	10 hrs	30 hrs

*Assuming normal duty uniform and relatively favorable conditions of daylight, moderate weather, trained troops, etc. (unless otherwise specified).

- (1) 2½-ton trucks loaded w/4 tons of cargo or 16 or 20 personnel per truck; 5-ton trucks loaded w/6 tons of cargo or 18 or 20 personnel per truck. On local hauls, both 2½- and 5-ton trucks haul 20 people; on line hauls, 2½-ton truck hauls 16 people and 5-ton truck hauls 18 people
- (2) Based on 4 round trips per day per truck (2 round trips per 10-hr shift, 1 round trip in 5 hours).
- (3) Based on 2 round trips per day per truck or 1 round trip per 10-hr shift.
- (4) 12 tons of cargo per semitrailer, 5000 gallons per tanker, or 6 tons of refrigerated cargo per vehicle.
- (5) Average load of 40 tons per truck.

TABLE 15 - CYCLIC WORK/REST VALUES (MINUTES) WITH NEGLIGIBLE HEAT CASUALTIES.⁽¹⁾

<u>MOPP</u>	<u>WORK</u>	TEMPERATURE RANGES			
		<u>21° C</u> <u>(70° F)</u>	<u>21-26° C</u> <u>(70°-79° F)</u>	<u>27-32° C</u> <u>(80-89° F)</u>	<u>33° C</u> <u>(90° F)</u>
<u>LEVEL</u>	<u>RATE</u>				
1	Low	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
	Moderate	(2)	(2)	60/20	40/50
	Heavy	(2)	60/15	40/25	30/50
2	Low	(2)	(2)	(2)	50/50
	Moderate	(2)	(2)	50/35	30/60
	Heavy	60/30	45/30	25/30	(3)
3	Low	(2)	(2)	(2)	60/30
	Moderate	(2)	60/20	40/35	30/50
	Heavy	40/20	35/30	(3)	(3)
4	Low	(2)	(2)	40/30	20/50
	Moderate	40/20	30/25	20/40	(3)
	Heavy	20/25	(3)	(3)(10/50)*	(3)

(1) Data extracted from Table 5-2, page 5-12, of FM 21-40, C1, dated 14 October 1977 (Reference 8).

(2) Under these conditions any reasonable work/rest periods will suffice to prevent heat casualties.

(3) Under these conditions work time will be severely limited, and even very short periods of heavy work could result in heat casualties.

*Estimated value employed in calculations.

TABLE 16 - WORK/REST TIMES (MINUTES)⁽¹⁾

<u>TEMPERATURE</u>	<u>WORK LOAD</u>	<u>BASELINE</u> ⁽²⁾		<u>MOPP 4</u>	
		<u>WORK TIME</u>	<u>REST TIME</u>	<u>WORK TIME</u>	<u>REST TIME</u>
-7°C (10°F)	LIGHT	NHB ⁽³⁾	15	NHB	20
	MODERATE	NHB	15	NHB	30
	HEAVY	NHB	15	30	30
10°C (50°F)	LIGHT	NHB	15	NHB	30
	MODERATE	NHB	15	NHB	50
	HEAVY	NHB	15	25	50
29°C (85°F)	LIGHT	180	20	60	00
	MODERATE	90	50	40	00
	HEAVY	25	70	15	00

(1) Data extracted from Appendix H, Annex III, 61 JTCG/ME-75-13, pages H-56, H-57, and H-58 (Reference 24).

(2) Uniform is that normally worn in keeping with conditions; no NBC protection.

(3) NHB - No heat build-up; personnel can work for 2 hours or more and not build up sufficient heat to be degraded.

Table 16 provides a compilation of work/rest times extracted from Annex III to Appendix H of Report 61 JTCG/ME-75-13.²⁴ The data evolved from the Project MANDRAKE ROOT Addendum Study and are based solely upon heat stress. Allowable work time was derived by means of a calculation that considered the hourly heat build-up in man and the maximum allowable heat before stress conditions occur in man. Required rest time was calculated by taking into consideration the hourly heat build-up factor and the total heat loss due to wearing a particular protective ensemble. The work and rest times are absolute estimates. The amount of heat output associated with the designations of light, moderate, and heavy work loads are 150 Kcal/hr, 200 Kcal/hr, and 400 Kcal/hr, respectively.

Attempts to quantify the effects of factors other than heat stress have been hampered by a lack of empirical data, and thus were not employed here. Among these other factors were visual acuity, respiratory stress, manual dexterity, and psychological effects.

The work/rest times shown in Tables 15 and 16 were applied to the function/time data of Tables 2-14, except in the case of the Quartermaster Units (Table 12)²⁵, and in the case of the TOW crew (Table 8a)²⁶. The manner in which this was done was essentially to add the recommended rest times to the time given as being required to accomplish the task without CW protective gear (for the appropriate workload and temperature). As examples, if the time required to perform a task requiring a heavy workload without CW gear was given as 60 minutes under relatively ideal conditions, the times to perform the same function at 20, 50 or 85°F (-7, 10 or 29°C) while in MOPP 4 were calculated as follows:

- At 20°F (-7°C), the cycle to complete the task consisted of 30 minutes of work plus 30 minutes of rest, followed by 30 minutes of work and an additional 30 minutes of rest. The total time calculated was 120 minutes, twice that expected to complete the task without the encumbrance of CW protective clothing.
- At 50°F (10°C), the cycle to complete the task consisted of 25 minutes of work followed by 50 minutes of rest, another 25 minutes of work followed by 50 minutes of rest, and finally 10 minutes of work followed by a 20 minute rest period. The total time calculated to complete the task was 180 minutes, three times the expected time under normal conditions.
- At 85°F (29°C), no work/rest times were given. Therefore, an extrapolated value was incorporated into Table 15 and employed in the calculations. It was decided to use a 50 minute rest period for every 10 minutes of heavy work. (This 10/50 value is probably conservative and the situation is likely to be worse, i.e., more time to rest and recover will be necessary.) Thus, the total time calculated to complete the example task was 360 minutes, six times that normally required.

Calculations of times were made in a similar manner for all the tasks in Tables 2-14, except for those mentioned earlier (i.e., Quartermaster Units and TOW Crew, Tables 12 and 8a, respectively).

Examination of Tables 2-14 indicates a significant increase in the time required to perform tasks while in full MOPP, and that a tremendous increase in time can be expected to complete those tasks requiring heavy workloads at high temperatures. During the work period the actual work time may in reality increase due to a decrease in efficiency. The result would be that more rest time would be required. Therefore, the computed times represent a probable minimum amount of time that²⁷ may be required to accomplish these tasks, and will likely be higher.

It should be noted that the computed times do not take into account staggered or rotated work assignments, or allocating more people to those tasks considered to be especially critical (assuming that a source of additional manpower was available). The times do include a rest period after the final work period to enable personnel to recover so they can perform their next task.

Another point to consider, but which is not reflected in the tables of computed data, is that if it were known that a unit was to be replaced at a specified time, the personnel could work to a point of exhaustion, and not have to regulate their level of work to be able to perform additional tasks later. The data in Table 17 (from FM 21-40)²⁸ provide guidance toward determining the duration of sustained periods of work before the onset of significant heat casualties.

4. SUMMARY

The program to date can be summarized as follows:

- A search of the literature revealed a scarcity of quantitative data of the type desired. A large portion of the data was of a subjective nature, while most of the quantitative data was based solely upon heat stress with little or no consideration of other factors such as manual dexterity, visual acuity, or psychological factors.
- Partial task (function)/workload information has been compiled for several branches of the Army. Additional and revised data will be incorporated into the program as they become available; quantified test data will replace calculated data as tests are developed and performed.
- Degradation times for these tasks (functions) have been computed by using the best data currently available, viz., the work/rest times presented in Tables 15 and 16 of this report.

This report has described the initial efforts directed toward establishing and developing a data base which can be utilized to generate meaningful and realistic degradation data through computer simulations. Since this effort has not been completed but will be updated and revised in the future, no conclusions have been made at this time.

TABLE 17 - MAXIMUM TIMES (MINUTES) WITH MINIMUM HEAT CASUALTIES.⁽¹⁾

<u>MOPP</u> <u>LEVEL</u>	<u>WORK RATE</u>	TEMPERATURE RANGES			
		21°C (70°F)	$21^{\circ}\text{-}26^{\circ}\text{C}$ ($70^{\circ}\text{-}79^{\circ}\text{F}$)	$27^{\circ}\text{-}32^{\circ}\text{C}$ ($80^{\circ}\text{-}89^{\circ}\text{F}$)	33°C (90°F)
1	Low	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
	Moderate	(2)	(2)	(2)	100
	Heavy	(2)	(2)	110	50
2	Low	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
	Moderate	(2)	(2)	(2)	65
	Heavy	(2)	170	65	45
3	Low	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
	Moderate	(2)	(2)	140	55
	Heavy	200	95	55	40
4	Low	(2)	(2)	(2)	80
	Moderate	(2)	115	65	40
	Heavy	60	50	40	30

(1) Data extracted from Table 5-4, page 5-16, FM21-40, C1, dated 14 October 1977 (Reference 8).

(2) Under these conditions, fatigue caused by exertion will probably be the limiting consideration rather than body heat buildup.

5. FURTHER EFFORTS/RECOMMENDATIONS

It should be emphasized that the computations presented herein are based upon the best information currently available. This is to say these data should not be considered as final, but only that there is nothing better at this point in time. It is anticipated that where impractical times have been presented, more realistic data will be obtained, either from published reports not yet located or from personnel with first hand knowledge or experience (test/training participants).

Further efforts will continue to be directed toward updating and expanding the data as it becomes available. Times will be revised to reflect more realistic situations. Tasks (functions) will be expanded as more information is collected. Degradation times will be computed where necessary. An updated version of the data contained in this report is planned in approximately 6 months.

To obtain valid data to support this effort the following recommendations are offered:

- Training exercises, field exercises, etc., should be conducted with and without CW protective gear.
- Tests should be conducted to determine the degree of improvement in effectiveness or efficiency as a function of the number of times tasks are performed while in CW protective gear.
- Accurate measurements of such variables as time, accuracy, rate of fire, probability of hit, ability to acquire targets, etc., should be made. Determine the differences in these parameters with and without CW protective gear.
- Data should be acquired for major battlefield systems and weapons (e.g., IFV, CFV, ITV, 60 mm and 81 mm mortars, VIPER, TOW, etc.).
- As much data as possible should be obtained from field commanders and should not reflect "sterile" test conditions. Data should be "honest" and not be that which makes the unit look good.
- Intermediate MOPP levels should be studied in more detail.
- The effect of acclimatization should be studied to determine if training will significantly reduce degradation and if so, by how much. As a corollary, examine the effects of physical conditioning.

- Tests should be conducted in various climates with emphasis on those where a substantial threat exists.
- Cold weather operations should be studied to determine if any degradation occurs from the cold weather clothing by itself, and what effects are produced by wearing CW protective gear in a cold environment.
- Tests should be conducted for extended periods of time (6 hours) to determine the extent of degradation as a function of time.
- Tests should be conducted to provide data for situations in which personnel are fresh (rested) and fatigued, with and without protective ensembles.
- Where necessary, a series of "mini-tests" should be designed to provide empirical data for inclusion in this program. Such tests might be performed by the US Army Combat Developments Experimentation Command under the direction of HQ TRADOC.

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